

Amendments to the Specification:

Please add the following new paragraphs and headings after the TITLE and before the paragraph beginning on line 4 of page 1:

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a U. S. National Phase application of copending PCT application No. PCT/EP03/011817 filed on October 24, 2003.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

1. Field of the Invention --

Please add the following heading between paragraphs at page 2, line 24:

-- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 32, with the following amended paragraph:

These objects are achieved with the coating compositions and methods having the references further described in greater detail below ~~according to Patent Claims 1, 12 and 18.~~ Advantageous embodiments of this invention are derived from the ~~dependent claims~~ an understanding of the invention as disclosed.

Please insert the following heading at page 3 before line 1:

-- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS --

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 16, with the following amended paragraph:

The imaging or inscription by laser treatment of the coated glass surface using laser radiation and creation of colorless and colored pixels (in particular blackened pixels) in spots or regions is preferably accomplished according to the methods described in unpublished German Patent Applications DE 101 19 302.5₁ and

PCT/EP02/04 284, and corresponding U. S. Published Patent Application publication No. 2004/0118157, published on June 24, 2004, fully incorporated by reference herein, where appropriate. Reference is made in the present description to the details described in these publications.